

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1. (original): An electronic audit system comprising:

an electronic test object system;

an electronic audit system;

and a communication device for providing a line connection between said audit system and said test object system; wherein

said audit system and said test object system connect via said communication device, and said audit system audits said test object system based on necessary information sent from said test object system.

2. (original): An electronic audit system comprising:

an electronic test object system;

an electronic audit system;

a maintenance management device for maintaining and managing said test object system;

a configuration transmission device for transmitting configuration information of said test object system to said audit system;

an identification information transmission device for transmitting an ID and a password to said audit system;

an audit sequence determination device for determining an audit sequence and creating a sequence chart showing said audit sequence;

an access device for accessing said test object system using an ID and a password received via said identification information transmission device;

an audit device for auditing said test object system accessed via said access device in accordance with said sequence chart and recording results;

a display device for displaying audit results obtained by audit with said audit device; and
a judgement device for judging quality of audit results based on said audit results displayed by said display device.

3. (original): An electronic audit system according to claim 2, wherein an audit sequence determined by said audit sequence determination device incorporates a site audit performed by an auditor visiting said site.

4. (original): An electronic audit system according to claim 2, wherein said judgement device judges operating status quality of said system for audit based on audit items, audit content and audit results displayed by said display device, and records such operating status quality in an audit results recording chart.

5. (original): An electronic audit system according to claim 2, wherein within said test object system, an original of a regulation document and a procedure document defining

system activity are managed electronically, and record documents for recording activity comprise records managed electronically and records managed on paper, and for records managed on paper, a management thereof is computerized.

6. (original): An electronic audit system according to claim 2, wherein said maintenance management device monitors variations in external environment, and if a variation occurs, reflects such variation in said test object system.

7. (canceled).

8. (canceled).

9. (new): The electronic audit system according to claim 1, wherein said necessary information comprises configuration information of said electronic test object system.

10. (new): The electronic audit system according to claim 1, wherein said necessary information comprises an audit ID, a password and configuration information of said electronic test object system.

11. (new): An electronic audit system comprising:
a management system on which an audit may be performed;

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an audit device; and

a communication device for providing a line connection between said audit device and said management system;

wherein said audit device and said management system connect via said communication device, and said audit device audits said management system based on management system configuration information sent from said management system.

12. (new): The electronic audit system according to claim 11, wherein said audit device conducts the audit according to said configuration information by accessing said management system with an audit ID and a password.

13. (new): The electronic audit system according to claim 11, wherein said configuration information comprises instructions as recorded in an audit sequence determination chart.